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Case RN 03170

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In the Application of: Franck BOUQUEREL and Frédéric PHILIPPON**

**National Phase of PCT/FR2004/003310**

**Examiner: To be assigned**

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**Serial No: 10/583,168**

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**For: COMPOSITE MATERIALS COMPRISING A REINFORCING MATERIAL AND A THERMOPLASTIC MATRIX, PRECURSOR COMPOUND ARTICLE OF SAID MATERIALS AND PRODUCTS OBTAINED USING SAME**

**SUBMISSION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS**

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Dear Sir:

This is in response to the Notification of Missing Requirements under 35 U.S.C. 371 (form PCT/DO/EO/905), dated **March 15, 2007**.

Applicant are enclosing a signed Declaration in compliance with 37 CFR §1.497(a) and (b).

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge Deposit Account No. **18-1171** the amount of **\$130.00** to cover the fee required under 37 CFR 1.492(e).

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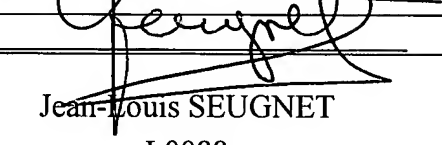
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Docket No.: RN 03170  
Serial No.: 10/583,168  
Submission of Missing Requirements

A copy of form PCT/DO/EO/905, of an English translation of the application and a preliminary amendment are enclosed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorised to charge any payment associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. **18-1171**.

Respectfully submitted,

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### NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 06/15/2006
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 06/15/2006
- Oath or Declaration filed on 06/15/2006
- Request for Immediate Examination filed on 06/15/2006
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 06/15/2006
- Priority Documents filed on 06/15/2006

The applicant needs to satisfy supplemental fees problems indicated below.

The following items **MUST** be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- Translation of the application into English. Note a processing fee will be required if submitted later than 30 months from the priority date.
- Processing fee of \$130 for providing the translation of the application and/or the Annexes later than 30 months from the priority date (37 CFR 1.492(i)).
- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does not comply with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b) in that it:
  - is not executed in accordance with either 37 CFR 1.66 or 37 CFR 1.68.
- To avoid abandonment, a surcharge (for late submission of filing fee, search fee, examination fee or oath or declaration) as set forth in 37 CFR 1.492(h) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

## SUMMARY OF FEES DUE:

Total additional fees required for this application is \$260 for a Large Entity:

- \$130 Surcharge.
- \$130 for English translation surcharge required.

**ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.**

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

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